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FRIDAY MAY 5, 1899.—

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Railroad Commissioner, J.FLETCHER DEMPSEY, of Hopkins County.

Joe Blackburn has deferred his trip to Porto Rico.

Wm. Lees, col., was hanged by a mob at Osceola, Ark., for barnburning.

Illinois Republican Congressmen

have united on Hopkins for speaker and will give him their solid sup-

ordinance. Even fruit and cigar counties in Kentucky. stands are included.

Cairo from May 6 to 9 and the L. C. Calumpit, has been made a Brigawill give half-rates to those who dier General for his bravery. This ning in one of the churches, with want to see the ship.

Jno. C. Wood was re-nominated for Railroad Commissioner in the Third District by the Republican convention at Richmond.

Ex-Senator Peffer, of Kansas, is now editing a country weekly at \$10 a month. At least a statement to that effect is going the rounds of the press.

Robt. Hodges has withdrawn from the race for representative in Lyon county. The remaining candidates before the Democratic primary are Gen. H. B. Lyon and Mr. R. F. Brightwell.

Mrs. Jane Rhea, widow of the late Albert G. Rhea, and mother of Congressman John S. Rhea, died at Russellville Monday. She was a sister of Elijah Hise, in his time one of the leading lawyers of Kentucky.

is in charge of the smallpox pa- tions. tients, issued invitations to a number of his friends to attend a swell dining at the pest house, but all of the invitations were, strange as it may seem, declined with thanks.

The peace propositions from Aguinaldo's emissaries have not yet led to any definite results. Otis demands an unconditional surrender and refuses to recognize the Filipino government.

The lynching of one negro near Buffalo, N. Y., for stealing a purse and another near Bucyrus, Ohio, for raiding a hen-roost will probably furnish the sectional press of the North and East with material for more harangues about "Southern outrages. '-Glasgow News.

The latest developments in the Perry Belmont-Jessie Sloan scandal show that Col. Bryan made no mistake in refusing to dine with Belmont, from a social as well as a political standpoint. Belmont married the Sloan woman in a few minutes after her husband rid himself of her in the divorce court.

The gubernational contest in Christian county is in a state of profound quiet that amounts almost to entire indifference this week. It may be the calm before the storm, but certain it is that nobody is tearing his shirt for any of the candidates at this stage of the game. If there has been any change at all, it is to Stone's advantage.

Gen. Miles resents the unfairness of the beef contract investigation and will likely ask congress to go behind the whitewash of the board and when it is entirely closed deaf of inquiry and investigate the whole scandal. Gen. Miles claims that 336 of his material witnesses were not subpoenaed at all, out of a total of 440 whose names he furnished. It was clearly the intention of the packed board from the first to suppress the real facts, but as it was enough was shown to convince the reading public that the investigation was a farce and the report a misrepresentation of the actual facts unintentionally brought out.

Every woman in the Independence venue Methodist church, Kansas City, removed her hat Sunday night Death of an Estimable Lady-John before services began. A male member wrote a communication to CHAS. M. MEACHAM. one of the city papers, protesting against the hats, and the Ladies SUBSCRIPTION \$1 A YEAR IN ADVANCE. Aid Society took the matter up, and, after long discussion, decided that afternoon at her home five miles the hats should be removed. The west of this place, of cancer of the Rates for standing advertisements furnished reform was to be inaugurated East- stomach. She had been sick for er morning, but the women backed several months, but had only been down. The men were mean enough confined to her bed about three to say that it was tecause of the new bonnets. Sunday night a leading member of the congregation, as soon as she was escorted to her interment took place in the Camppew, ostentatiously removed her bell burying ground to-day. hat. Almost instantly every member of the Ladies' Aid Society pres- of the county. is dangerously ill at ent followed her example, and in a his home near Kelly. NITRAM. few moments all the other women did the same.

farmers of Daviess county from impassable roads during the past winter have caused the Fiscal Court of the county to investigate the cost of stoneroads. This investigation is now in progress and is the first step in a work which, if properly carried out, will establish Daviess in the position to which, All Sunday business has been she is justly entitled as one of the stopped in Atlanta, under a new most intelligent and progressive

Col. Fred Funston, the little Kan-The gunboat Nashville will be at sas volunteer, who won the fight at road, in the northeastern portion of will be universally approved, but nearly 100 pupils. something ought also be done for Kelly and Twembly, the two privates, who swam the river under the fire of the enemy and fastened a rope to the opposite bank, establishing the line that enabled Funston and his men to cross on a raft and get at the Filipinos.

> The Louisville Post has withdrawn its "support" from Gen. The convention will be in session Hardin, giving as the reason that Hardin's home county nominated each church in the state of this de-McChord for Railroad Commissioner. The Post does Gen. Hardin an injustice. An obstreperous delegation from Mercer county knocked out Alexander's Louisville friends and gave McChord the nomination.

The Missouri legislature is makevil, nearly all of the Democratic highly educated and his lecture THE HOPKINSVICLE MERCANTILE Co. States have begun the work of sup- will be both humorous and enter-A young doctor of Paducah, who pressing the unlawful combina- taining

> Hon. G. W. Hickman, of McLean, announces that he will, in the event of his election, be a candidate for Speaker of the next House. He is one of the brainiest young Democrats in the State and Western Kentucky will be proud to back him for the position he seeks.

Editor Pulitzer, of the New York World, is in London and says Bryan will be renominated next year by the Democrats. If there is a Democrat in the United States who thinks otherwise he has not been located.

Chairman Jones is going to Europe for his health and committeeman M. G. Johnson, of Kansas, will temporarily act as chairman of the Democratic national com-

The race for Speaker is rapidly narrowing down to a contest be-Sherman, of New York, and Hopkins, of Illinois, as the contending ties are colored. candidates.

Twenty-eight of the one hundred Democratic nominees for representative have already been selected. Some of those who bolted the last caucus have been renominated.

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deaf ness, and that is by constitutional rem-Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tuba. When this tube gets influend you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing. ness is the result, and unless the inflamation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by day. catarrah, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous sur-

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CROFTON NEWS.

Davis Very III.

Crofton, Ky., May 3.-Miss Kate Brasher died at 3 o'clock yesterday weeks. She was a sister of Mr. C. A. Brasher, of Hopkinsville, and was a most estimable lady. The

Mr. John Davis, a pioneer citizen

COLORED COLLEGE.

The heavy loss sustained by the Mr. Jno. C. Latham Makes a Liberal Donation To It.

> Peter Morgan, collecting agent for the proposed new Colored Baptist College and Normal School, has received from Mr. Jno. C. Latham, of New York, a check for \$25. Mr. Latham never fails to show his generosity in public enterprises in his native city.

The college will be located on Bradshaw's hill, between the old fair grounds and the L. & N. railthe city. The school is now run-

KENTUCKY UNIVERSALISTS.

Annual Convention to be Held at Consolation Church,

The Kentucky Universalist annual convention will meet with Consolation church, fifteen miles northwest af this city, Friday, May 2-6. three days and it is expected that nomination will be represented.

Free Lecture,

Gam Sing Quah, a native Chinaman, who has just graduated from Cumberland University at Lebanon, Tenn., will deliver a free lecture at the Cumberland Presbyterian ing it hot for the trusts. Since Attor- church in this city to-night. Subthe States must deal with the trust sion work in that empire. He is ures.

Caught a White Squirrel.

Mr. F. E. Luttrell, of Pee Dee, while out hunting Tuesday near his home, captured a white squirrel. The animal is about the size of an ordinary gray squirrel, but is snow white. Mr. Luttrell prizes the little animal very highly and has already been besieged by persons desirous of buying it.

Public Sale.

On Monday, May 10, I will offer for sale on the premises, at Casky, Ky., all my household and kitchen furniture, also full line of farm tooks and machinery, lot of hay and corn. Beef cattle and fine jersey milk cows. Sale commences at 9 o'clock. Terms made known on day of sale. DR. G. G. MOSELEY.

More Divorces Wanted.

Kate Fulton has brought suit for divorce from her husband, John Fulton, and Henry Wheeler wants tween the East and the West, with a legal separation from his wife, Hargaret Wheeler. All of the par-

Death of Planter Farmer.

Mr. A. J. Farmer, a well known planter of the White Plains country, died last Thursday, after an illness of several weeks. He was about 60 years old and a most excellent citizen.

Close at 7 O'clock.

The merchants of Madisonville have inaugurated the usual summer closing schedule, and will close at 7 o'clock p. m., excepting Saturday nights, during the hot months.

Snowing in Colorado.

Breckinridge, Col., May 3.-It has been snowing here much of the time the past week. No train or mail has arrived since last Satur-

Residence Completed.

Mr. John Feland's Handsome new residence on Clay street has been finished and Mr. Feland

Mrs. O. E. Layne, of Trenton, month. visited friends in the city yesterday.

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GROVER CLEVELAND.

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I have replaced my jack Napoleon, that I lost last fall with the above jack, which has proven nimself to be one of the greatest jennet or mule jacks in the State of Tennessse or Kentucky. He is 16 hands high, black and white points, 19 feet from muzzle to root of tail. His size is no freak of nature, but is inherited from a number of his celebrated ancestors, distinguished for great size, such as Nick Bottom, Black Prince, Kentucky Mammoth, Imp. Black Forrest and

He will stand at my farm 21 miles from Casky by the insurance of \$10, money due when animal ascertained to be in foal or transferred.

KING GEORGE. King George is five years old, 154

hands high, black with white points, by Silver Brown and out of Mary Beard and I consider unequaled by any jack in the county. He will make this season at \$8 on the same terms as above. Care will be taken to premoved in with his family Wednes- vent accidents but will not be responsible should any occur. Jennets kept on good pasture at \$1 50 per

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